PART IV.

Section 1-C

RULES, ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS UNDER CENTRAL ACTS AND ORDINANCES.

NOTIFICATION.

No. C. 897—Co. 63-52-2, dated Bangalore, 4th November 1952.

Ordered that the accompanying Notification dated the 23rd October 1952 of the Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry amending the Cotton Control Order, 1950, be republished in the *Mysore Gazette* for the information of public.

By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

N. PUTTARANGASWAMY,
Chief Secretary to Government.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

New Delhi, the 23rd October 1952.

S.R.O. In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946), the Central Government hereby directs that the following further amendments shall be made in the Cotton Control Order, 1950, namely :—

In the said Order.—

1. In sub-clause (j) of Clause 2, the words and letter 'or B Class' shall be deleted.

2. In item (a) of Sub-clause (1-A) of Clause 7 for the words, letters and figures "1st September, 1947" and "season 1947-48", the words, letters and figures "1st September 1951" and "season 1951-52" shall respectively be substituted.

3. For sub-clause (1) of Clause 9A the following sub-clause shall be substituted, namely :—

(1) There shall be the following two clauses of licences granted under this Order, namely :—

(i) "A" class licence.

(ii) "C" class licence.

4. For clause 9B the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—

"9B (1) Every person who—

(i) has held either an 'A' class license or a 'B' class licence during the cotton season 1951–52, or

(ii) has sold a minimum quantity of 1,000 bales of cotton directly to any manufacturer during any of the cotton seasons 1946-47, 1947-48, 1948-49, 1949-50, 1950-51 and 1951-52, or

(iii) is a member of the East India Cotton Association, Ltd., Bombay, or being a citizen of India, was a Member of the Karachi Cotton Association, Ltd., during any of the cotton seasons 1946-47 and 1947-48, or

(iv) has, during any of the cotton seasons 1949-50, 1950-51 and 1951–52, exported Indian cotton to any place outside India

shall be entitled to an "A" class licence.

(2) Every person who is not entitled for 'A' class licence or being entitled, does not apply for or is refused an 'A' class licence shall be eligible for a "C" class licence in the discretion of the authority competent to grant such licence.

Provided that notwithstanding any person being entitled to an 'A' class licence under this clause, the licencing authority may refuse to grant such licence to that person, if for reasons to be recorded in writing, it is of the opinion that that person is unfit to hold such a licence."

5. In the table in sub-clause (2) of clause 11 the entries "B class licence" and "Rs. 50" appearing respectively under columns 1 and 2 shall be deleted.

6. In Form 'A' :—

(*a*) for the letters, marks and words "A/B/C class licence" appearing below the words, figure and brackets "(see clause 9)" the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"A/C class licence".

(*b*) for clause 5, the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—

"5. The licensee shall not sell, hypothecate or pledge cotton to any person who does not hold a licence under the said Order or is not otherwise authorised to purchase cotton."

7. For Form 'B' the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"FORM 'B'

(See clause 10)

1. Applicant's name.
2. Where the applicant is a Corporation or a Partnership firm, the names of the Directors or the partners, as the case may be.
3. Applicant's full address.
4. Whether the application is for an 'A' class or 'C' class licence.
5. (*a*) Have you, during the 1951-52 season, held an 'A' or 'B' class licence ?

(*b*) (i) Are you a member of the East India Cotton Association, Ltd., Bombay?

(ii) Were you a member of the Karachi Cotton Association Ltd., during the cotton seasons 1946-47 or 1947-48?

(*c*) State the following particulars :—

(i)

Cotton Season	Quantity of cotton sold (in bales) directly to manufacturers
1946–47	
1947–48	
1948–49	
1949–50	
1950–51	
1951–52	

(ii)

Cotton Season	Quantity exported (in bales) to any place outside India
1949–50	
1950–51	
1951–52	

6. The location of the applicant's place of business, godowns and other premises used by him for the sale or storage of cotton (detailed address of these places should be given).

I have carefully read the conditions of the licence given in Form 'A' appended to the Cotton Control Order, 1950, and I agree to abide by them.

DECLARATION.

I hereby declare that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of the Applicant."

8. In form 'C' in column 1 thereof—

(i) for item (*a*) of Serial No. 3 the following item shall be substituted, namely :—

" (*a*) Jarilla and H. 420 ".

(ii) for Serial No. 4 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

" 4. Punjab American.

(*a*) 216F,

(*b*) LSS,

(*c*) Other Americans."

(iii) for Serial No. 10 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"10 Comptas—

(*a*) Jayadhar,

(*b*) Laxmi,

(*c*) Upland."

(iv) in Serial No. 11 after item (*b*) the following item shall be inserted namely :—

"(*c*) Rajapalayam ".

9. In Form 'D'—

(i) in paragraph 2 of the Instructions for the words, letters and figures "No. 1 (57) Tex. 2/50, dated 21st August, 1950." the words, letters and figures "No. S.R.O. ....., dated the 23rd October, 1952" shall be substituted.

(ii) in the heading of column 2 for the figures "31-8-50" the figures "31-8-52" shall be substituted.

(iii) in the heading of each of the columns 3 to 8 for the figure "1-9-50" the figure "1-9-52" shall be substituted.

(iv) in column 1 for Serial No. 4 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"4. Punjab American—

(*a*) 216F,

(*b*) LSS,

(*c*) Other Americans."

(v) In column (1) for Serial No. 10 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(10) Comptas—

(*a*) Jayadhar,

(*b*) Laxmi,

(*c*) Upland."

(vi) in column 1 in Serial No. 11 after item (*b*) the following shall be inserted namely :—

"(*c*) Rajapalayam ".

With the compliments of :—

The Textile Commissioner to the Government of India,

Ministry of Commerce and Industry,

Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.

No. TCP-31] PRESS NOTE. 23rd October, 1952.

By a notification published in a *Gazette of India* Extraordinary dated the 23rd October, 1952, the Government of India have amended the Cotton Control Order, 1950. The said notification provides that :—

(i) there shall be only two classes of licensees, *viz.*, "A" and "C";

(ii) the following persons are eligible for "A" class licence :—

(*a*) one who has sold a minimum quantity of 1,000 bales of cotton directly to any manufacturer during any of the cotton seasons, 1946-'47, 1947-'48, 1948-'49, 1949-'50, 1950-'51 and 1951-'52;

(*b*) one who is a member of the East India Cotton Association, Ltd., Bombay, or being a citizen of India, was a member of the Karachi Cotton Association during any of the cotton seasons, 1946-'47 and 1947-'48;

(*c*) one who has held either an "A" class or "B" class licence during the cotton season 1951-'52; and

(*d*) one who has, during any of the cotton seasons 1949-'50, 1950-'51 and 1951-'52, exported Indian cotton to any place outside India.

"A" class licence will be issued by the Textile Commissioner, Bombay.

(iii) the issue of "C" class licence will be in the discretion of the Authority competent to grant such licence.

(iv) there shall be no restriction on transactions *inter se* by licensees;

(v) an "A" class licensee will be entitled to operate throughout India, while a "C" class licensee will be eligible to carry on business only in the area for which the licence is issued.

2. By another notification published in the same *Gazette of India* Extraordinary, the Textile Commissioner has prescribed the minimum and maximum prices in respect of various descriptions of Indian cotton (except H420 and MA. 5 the prices of which will be notified later) of the season 1952'53. The floor prices applicable to the 1952-'53 crop announced by the Government of India in their press note dated the 1st July, 1952 are incorporated in this notification. The floor prices applicable to the 1952-'53 crop are Rs. 55 higher than the floor prices applicable to the 1951-'52 crop in respect of those varieties which had floor prices during the 1951-'52 season. No floor prices have been provided for Dhollera, Kalagin, Bengal Deshi, Oomra Deshi, Mathia and Mungari, C.P. I and C.P. II and Central India Cotton. Other notable changes are :—

(i) Punjab 289F has been replaced by Punjab 216F (including Punjab 320F);

(ii) Punjab 216F and 320F and Laxmi of the reserved area are brought under price control and accorded the same prices as for Cambodia of Madras State; Buri 0394 has also been brought under price control and accorded the price of Buri American;

(iii) Cambodia C04 (including C04/B40, Cambodia Uganda 1), otherwise known as Rajapalayam cotton grown in the States of Madras, Bhopal and Bombay, is outside price control, provided it is of 1" and above and conforms to certain conditions prescribed.

(iv) Certain varieties, if they satisfy the conditions prescribed and if they have been grown in areas reserved by the Agricultural Department of the State concerned for the purpose of procuring pure seed for sowing and if the crop has been duly rogued by removing off type plants, have been accorded suitable premium over the prices of corresponding varieties.

The price notification also provides that no cotton shall be considered to be of a quality superior to the basic quality unless its superior staple and class have been certified by the East India Cotton Association, Ltd., Bombay, and the maximum

price of such cotton shall then be in accordance with the description, staple and class mentioned in such certificate. It further provides for an appeal to the Textile Commissioner's Committee (which is the same as during 1951-'52) where the buyer or the seller does not accept the certificate from the East India Cotton Association. The decision of the Committee shall be final and the maximum price of such cotton shall be in accordance with such decision.

3. By yet another notification published in the same *Gazette of India* Extraordinary, the Textile Commissioner has permitted trading in the crop of the 1952-'53 season as follows :—

(*a*) Ready Contracts;

(*b*) Delivery Contracts; that is to say Forward Contracts for cotton (full-pressed, half-pressed or loose) of specific description and for specific delivery at specified price, delivery orders, railway receipts or bills of lading in respect of which are not transferable to third parties.

4. The Government's decision regarding "Hedge" trading in cotton will be announced shortly.

5. For the cotton year 1952-'53, each mill is likely to receive allocations of India cotton equivalent to its actual consumption of this cotton during the cotton year 1951-'52. Initially, however, 33⅓ per cent of this figure will be allocated and will be in terms of State-wise quotas. Additional quantities of cotton required for consumption during this year will have to be met from imports within the import policy as may be announced by Government from time to time. The quantities of stocks lying with mills as on 31st August, 1952, will be treated as reserves.

A. S. E. IYER,
Director (Publicity).

ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA.

New Delhi.

NOTIFICATION.

No. MY-A—52 (116), dated 12th November 1952.

It is hereby notified for general information that the disqualifications under clause (*c*) of section 7 and section 143 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), incurred by the person whose name and address are given below, as notified under Notification No. MY-A—52 (17), dated the 24th April 1952, have been removed by the Election Commission in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said clause and section 144 of the said Act, respectively :—

Shri G. S. Mahadevappa,
Merchant, Gubbi,
Mysore State.

P. N. SHINGHAL,
Secretary to the Election Commission.

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